

Codebook for nomrules.dta, Stata 8 replication dataset for **Scott R. Meinke, Jeffrey K. Staton, and Steven T. Wuhs, STATE DELEGATION SELECTION RULES FOR PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS, 1972-2000.**

stdigit	Numeric state code (sorted alpha by full state name)
elecyr	Year of presidential election
count	Time counter (1972=0)
dsr6	6-category selection rule variable (see Table 1 for coding and source information)
primary	Indicator for primary election (=1 if dsr6= 0 1)
state	State name
partyorg	4-category party organization variable 1=weak 2=moderately weak 3=moderately strong 4=strong (Source: Cotter et al., LaRaja, and author-collected data. See Note 10 for detailed information.)
compfold	Folded Ranney party competition index (Source: 1999-03 data is from Bibby and Holbrook 2004 p. 88 1995-1998 data is from Bibby and Holbrook 1999 p. 95 1989-1994 data is from Bibby and Holbrook 1996 p. 105 1981-1988 data is from Bibby et al. 1990 p. 92 1970-1980 data is from Patterson and Caldeira 1984 p. 693)
nativson	=1 for native son Democratic candidate declared prior to January of election year.
unidem	=1 for unified Democratic government
datayear	Data year for legislative composition and Berry et al. state ideology
coad_dd	Avg ADA&COPE for Democrats for state elite ideology score, missing estimated (Source: Berry et al.; See text for detailed information)
citiideo	Berry et al. state citizen ideology score (Source: Berry et al.)
demdist	Distance between state elite and state citizen ideology
avddist	Absolute value of difference between state elite and state citizen ideology (Berry-based)
unigop	=1 for unified Republican government
stableyrs	Years since last change on dsr6

deepsouth	=1 for southern state, V.O. Key coding
udXcompfold	unidem * compfold
udXnative	unidem * nativson
udXpartyorg	unidem * partyorg
udXavddist	unidem * avddist
udXdpsouth	unidem * deepsouth
ewmcit	Erikson, Wright, McIver citizen ideology data (1976-1988 crosssectional)(Source: EWM 1993)
ewmelite	EWM elite ideology data (Source: EWM 1993)
zewmelite	Standardized ewmelite
zewmcit	Standardized ewmcit
ewmdst2	Difference between standardized EWM elite and citizen scores
avewmdst	Absolute value of EWM difference scores

Notes:

1. Data is Stata 8.0 format.
2. "Caucus years" and spline segments for logit models are generated for each model using the BTSCS routine for Stata (Tucker 1999) based on "primary" variable with "count" representing time and "stdigit" representing observational unit.
3. For party control variables, NC is coded by legislative control only since the governor lacks veto power.